## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No. 47237-0532-00-US (216940)

In re Application of: Kengo AKIMOTO et al. Confirmation No.: 8835

Application No.: 10/529,014

Group Art Unit: 1618

Filed: May 5, 2005

Examiner: Nissa M. Westerberg

Title: COMPOSITION CONTAINING ARACHIDONIC ACID ALONE OR IN COMBINATION WITH DOCOSAHEXAENOIC ACID FOR ENHANCING

COGNITIVE ABILITIES (As Amended)

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE FILED WITH A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Mail Stop: RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The present paper responds to the FINAL Office Action mailed March 2, 2009, and is filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). A Notice of Appeal and a petition for a three-month extension of time were filed September 1, 2009. The present response thus is timely filed by March 1, 2010, because of the concurrently filed petition for a FOURmonth extension of time. The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider and enter the following amendments and remarks. If a further extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is required, such an extension is requested, with the fee to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0573.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.

A petition for a four-month extension is time is attached.